

## Drill at Fort Myer Pleases the President

Cavalry Goes Through Dance and Daring  
Cossack Exhibition, While Batteries  
Also Show Their Skill.

For the first time since he has been in the White House the President went to Fort Myer yesterday. He was the special guest of the troops at the fort, who gave exhibition drills to raise funds for the Y. M. C. A. The President was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Longworth, Secretary and Mrs. Loeb, and two Secret Service men.

The President's party had scarcely been seated in the box reserved for them when Troop G, of the Cavalry, galloped up to the improvised reviewing stand and after saluting the Commander-in-Chief gave a grand march on the tank.

The horses sidestepped gracefully singly, in couples, and in fours. As the cadence came at its height the spirited animal ridden by the color bearer began bucking across the hall. The rider had only one hand for the reins, the other hand being occupied by the standard of his company.

The President leaned over the rail to watch the unlisted event, and when the trooper had mastered the fractious horse he shouted: "Bully!" In the meantime, the horse dance went on and as animals and men went through the figures of a quadrille round after round of applause rewarded them, especially as they executed "All hands round," "Turn the other way," and "Forward and salute."

**Colorbearer's Saddle Slips.**

Just as the troop was leaving the hall the color bearer's horse again became uncontrollable, and his saddle slipped sideways. The rider slipped to the side of the horse, but kept his colors in the air, and himself off the ground until his horse, galloping at full speed, left the hall.

Troop H replaced Troop G, and for a few minutes they continued the quadrille. The men were then given the word to charge, and with drawn sabers they dashed at full speed to the President's box, on the rail of which they crashed their weapons much to the astonishment of the ladies of the party, but greatly to the President's amusement.

As the troop started off on another drill the President said: "I tell you the cavalry is all right! You bet!" Troop F turned somersaults and rolled from the horses' backs, rode double and

triple, formed pyramids of five men, and went over the low hurdles with as much ease as though only one man were riding.

**Cossack Riding Pleases Roosevelt.**

It remained for Troop E to arouse the President to the greatest pitch of enthusiasm. The men came in riding spirited horses, and they gave an exhibition of what has generally come to be known as Cossack riding. They lined up in front of the President's box, and at a word of command dashed down the hall at full speed. After three of the troopers performed this trick the President could restrain his admiration no longer.

"Great!" he shouted after them, and to the men who were still in front of him, waiting for the word of command, he spoke words of commendation. As the troopers went over the low hurdle as fast as they could possibly drive their horses, changing their riding position from front to back, while the horse was off the ground the President waived his arms at the riders, as though words were not expressive enough. Up to this time the men had been riding on saddles. They stopped for a moment to unbuckle the cinch, fastened the stirrups up as high as they would go, and stood in them to balance the saddle, as they rode around the hall, and then, as the last act of their exhibition, they pulled the saddle from the horses just as they were taking the hurdle.

**Battery Gives Exhibition.**

Battery D then drove in dragging their guns. Not to be outdone by the cavalrymen the artillerymen, although heavily encumbered, executed practically the same dance figures as the troopers. The men then got down to business, unlimbered and had fired a charge in five minutes, after which they swung down the hall at full speed, sixteen horses abreast and three deep. The rumbling of their gun carriages was drowned out by the thunderous applause of the spectators.

Battery E came on the tank, and marched and counter-marched through a series of pegs, which left only a few inches of space between the wheels. When the exhibition was over the trooper jumped to his feet and exclaimed: "By George! That was a great show. I wouldn't have missed it for a good deal."

## OPPOSED TO TAFT; BURT GIVES VIEWS

Candidate for Delegate to  
Convention Wants Labor  
Man Elected.

Gen. Andrew S. Burt, candidate for delegate to the Republican National Convention from the District of Columbia, is unalterably opposed to Secretary of War Taft as President, and stands first, last, and all the time for Senator Joseph Benson Foraker for the Republican nomination.

General Burt has announced that he will look with favor upon any aspirant for the Presidency who declares himself openly to be a friend of organized labor, and will support any other but Taft, but with a lasting preference for Foraker.

In this manner has General Burt put himself on record with the labor vote of the city in the coming primaries. His opponent has made no declaration of intention.

Letters were sent out by a committee of the Central Labor Union, composed of Jere McCarthy, G. M. Ross, and J. L. Feeney, asking an expression from all candidates as to whom they would support for the nomination, and in response to this letter General Burt sent the following:

"Without reservation we take pleasure in saying that we are for the man who stands openly and above board for organized labor, we are for the man who declares himself absolutely against the 'open shop,' we are for the man who looks to the best interests of all organized labor, to-wit, Joseph Benson Foraker, or any other person except William H. Taft."

"We think this fully explains our position on the subject and we will be very pleased to hear from your committee or any member of the Central Labor Union at any time."

This is signed by General Burt as candidate for the delegateship for the delegation he represents.

## CONGRESS OPPOSES LENDING CAPITOL

Nor Does It Want Tuberculosis Convention in  
House Building.

The introduction in the House of a resolution by Representative Mann of Illinois proposing to permit the International Congress on Tuberculosis to use the House office building at its meeting next September and also the Senate chamber, has excited no little discussion on each side of the Capitol.

The question is whether Congress shall set a precedent in this instance by permitting big gatherings to be held in the office buildings. While neither the House office building nor the Senate office building, when that shall be completed, has a large auditorium, yet the large number of small rooms would make either office building a desirable meeting place, on account of the facilities offered for section meetings, round table conferences, committee meetings, and the like.

Strong objections are made on each side of the Capitol to permitting outsiders to hold conventions in any of the buildings connected with the Capitol. In the House office building, if the tuberculosis convention were held there, it would be necessary to use the office rooms of members, who have their private papers and effects in these office rooms.

Members will strenuously object to being disturbed in the fashion proposed, and it is talked about the Capitol that Mr. Mann's resolution will be voted down, and Congress will put itself on record as against using the Capitol for any purpose whatever, except for Congressional business.

## CONGRESS KEEPS SLOW PACE; ADJOURNMENT IS UNCERTAIN

Senate Halts From Thursday Over to Monday Despite  
Lateness in the Session—Few Bills on  
the Calendar.

Even the old-timers say that this Congress is coming more nearly approximating to the pace of the small than any of its predecessors. Every little while some one breaks out in objections against the "do-nothing" Congress, but how well this term is deserved.

The Senate emphasized the fact that things are progressing with unusual slowness Thursday, when it adjourned until Monday. This is unusual for so late in the session. It is the rule to adjourn over from Thursday to Monday and not attempt to hold sessions Friday and Saturday early in every session, but when the session is well under way and the end of it is in sight Senators generally insist on grinding away on Friday and much of the time on Saturday. This time, however, the Senate did not attempt to hold sessions Friday and Saturday, or on Friday alone because it had the calendar about cleaned up at the close of Thursday.

**Few Bills on Calendar.**

A small number of bills remained on the calendar which for one reason and another could not be at once disposed of, but on the whole, there was but a slight amount of business actually before the Senate.

In the committees of the Senate there is plenty to do. Large numbers of important bills are pending, but most of them are not getting out of committee. In accordance with the plans of the leaders to do as little new and important legislation this session as possible, the committees are acting slowly, despite great pressure brought on them in some cases to report bills out.

In the House, to add to the other complications, the Democrats have begun a filibuster that is leading greatly

to delay matters. The committees of the House are struggling with a vast mass of work, but few bills of much importance, outside of the appropriation bills, are finding their way to the calendar.

**Adjournment Deferred.**

The result of the slowness and delay is that little talk is now heard of early adjournment. For a time, much was heard of quitting early in May. Then May was much talked of, as the date for quitting. Now, the general opinion expressed is that it will be difficult to get away from Washington much before the 1st of June. This idea has gained the more support from the fact the President is getting more and more insistent that action shall be taken on the things he wants done and latterly initiatives are being thrown out from high quarters that the President is considering an extra session.

Merely to talk an extra session in summer in Washington scares Congress, as well as makes it mad. Of course, the President will be slow to call an extra session, but on the other hand, the threat of one will in all likelihood induce Congress to try to carry out a program that will take the edge of the President's irritation and insistence. What will probably result will be such a compromise program as can be adjusted between the President and the leaders. Not that it will satisfy either, but then the old hand at legislation does not expect to be satisfied with the legislative program that is carried through with a Presidential and Congressional election impending.



## Doom or Dawn

Herbert C. Alleman wrote to some of the greatest business men in America, asking them if the Golden Rule is practicable in the business world—if any commercial methods sanctioned by trade are at variance with the teachings of Christianity—if the standards are higher or lower than they used to be.

The answers to these questions by such men as T. Coleman Du Pont, of the Du Pont Powder Company; John Wanamaker, John D. Archbold, of the Standard Oil Company; John H. Converse, of the Baldwin Locomotive Works; Russell Colgate, of Colgate & Company, and several others, are worth reading. They throw light on the question which is vexing our generation, "Are we honest or not?"

The article is called "The Golden Rule in Business," and is in this week's issue of THE SATURDAY EVENING POST.

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would you prefer, if you were a married man, one who is quick-tempered and neat or a good-natured and slovenly one? What do you think of this question as a subject for debate at a meeting of a Men's Club?

This query was threshed out at a recent meeting in Anacostia, and the speakers waxed eloquent pro and con. It was a most animated affair, and how do you suppose it ended?

Did they decide for the quick-tempered and neat woman?

Or, did they decide for the good-natured and slovenly one?

There is a whole page about it in the magazine section of next Sunday's Times and the answer is there. Read it!

## Few People Consume Water Enough to Keep Healthy

A Noted Authority Gives Advice, Also Tells  
How Anyone Can Prepare a Mixture  
Which Is Said to Be Splendid  
to Use at Home.

"The people here do not drink enough water to keep healthy," exclaimed a well-known authority. "The numerous cases of stomach trouble, kidney and bladder diseases and rheumatism are mainly due to the fact that the drinking of water, nature's greatest medicine, has been neglected."

Stop loading your system with patent medicines and cure-alls; but get on the water wagon. If you are really sick, why, of course, take the proper medicine—plain common vegetable treatment, which will not shatter the nerves or ruin the stomach."

When requested for such a prescription for the cure of rheumatism and kidney trouble, the answer was: "You must make the kidneys do their work; they are the filters of the blood. They must be made to strain out of the blood the waste matter and acids that cause rheumatism; the urine must be neutralized so it will no longer be a source of irritation to the bladder, and most of all, you must keep these acids from forming in the stomach. This is the cause of these conditions. I would suggest the Dandelion prescription: Fluid extract of Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime, but don't forget the water. Drink plenty of water."

This valuable information and simple prescription should be posted up in each household and used at the first sign of urinary trouble, rheumatism, backache, or any other ailment, no matter how slight. This is published for the Kargin Extracting Co., Cincinnati, Ohio.

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Some of the postal cards will still be damaged. But the majority now have a fighting chance where they never stood a ghost of a show before.

## FUGITIVE 7 YEARS MEXICAN SURRENDERS

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., April 4.—After being a fugitive for seven years, during which time he visited all the large ports of America, Europe, and North Africa, Juan N. Lopez, a Mexican, was compelled by his trouble conscience to give himself up to the authorities here. In 1901 Lopez lived in Ciudad Porfirio Diaz, Mexico, and was employed as a fireman on the railroad. One night he got into a row over a woman and killed his adversary. Lopez fled and dropped entirely from sight. He had been a vaquero on the plains of Mexico and later a railroad, but now he shipped on a sailing vessel.

He is in jail now awaiting trial. The police had almost forgotten the case, but have unearthed all the evidence possible.

## BOMB THROWER BETTER; HOPE FOR HIS RECOVERY

NEW YORK, April 4.—Selig Silverstein, the Union Square bomb thrower, who has been between life and death since last Saturday, rallied today, and the physicians at Bellevue said he probably would recover.

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